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| In re Application of: |) | |
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| Chikamasa Yamashita et al. |) | Group Art Unit: 3771 |
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| Application No.: 10/538,176 |) | Examiner: Shumaya B. Ali |
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| For: Inhalation Device for |) | Confirmation No.: 1747 |
| Transpulmonary Administration |) | |

Commissioner for Patents
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Sir:

REPLY

This reply is filed in response to the non-final Office action mailed April 9, 2007.

A request for an extension of time of one month and appropriate fee are being filed concurrently with this reply. Please amend this application as follows:

Amendments to the Specification are included in this paper.

Amendments to the Drawings are included in the attached replacement drawing sheet. The amendments are discussed in this paper.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims in this paper.

Remarks/Arguments follow the amendment section of this paper.

Attachments to this amendment include

**English Language Translation
Verification of Translation
Replacement Sheet (3/22).**